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Mail Stop Amendment

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Group Art Unit: 1651

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For

: PROCESS FOR PRODUCING HMG-CoA REDUCTASE INHIBITORS

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents U.S. Patent and Trademark Office 220 20th Street S. Customer Window Crystal Plaza Two, Lobby, Room 1B03 Arlington, VA 22202 Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Supplemental Submission under 37 C.F.R. 1.114 in the above-captioned application.

Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement.

A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

A Request for Extension of Time.

X No additional fee is required.

X Copy of abstract of Stackebrandt et al., Reclassification of Amycolaptosis orientalis subsp. lurida Lechevalier et al. 1986 as Amycolaptosis lurida sp. nov., comb. nov., Int. J. Syst. Evol. Microbiol. 54: 267-268 (2004).

X Copy of abstract of Fiss E. and G.F. Brooks, Use of a siderophore detection medium, ethylene glycol degradation, and betagalactosidase activity in the early presumptive differentiation of Nocardia, Rhodococcus, Streptomyces, and rapidly growing Mycobacterium species, J. Clin. Microbiol. 29(7): 1533-1535 (1991).

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

Claims After Amendment	No. Claims Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Small Entity		Other Than A Small Entity	
			Rate	Fee	Rate	Fee
Total Claims: 9	20_	0	- x 9=	\$	x 18=	\$0.00
Indep. Claims:1	3	0	x 44=	\$	x 88=	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims Presented			+150=	\$	+300=	\$0.00
Extension Fees for Month(s)				\$		\$0.00
			Total:	\$	Total:	\$0.00

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X Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.

X Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17, including any required extension of time fees in any concurrent or future reply requiring a petition for extension of tipe for its timely submission (37)

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Sir:

Further to the Amendment submitted on October 14, 2004, with a Request for Continued Examination, the present Supplemental Submission. Inasmuch as the Submission of October 14, 2004 was timely filed, no additional fee is believed necessary. However, if the Commissioner determines that a fee is necessary for consideration of this Supplemental Submission, this should be considered to be an express request for consideration of the present Supplemental Submission and authorization of the Commissioner to charge any necessary fee to Deposit Account No. 19-0089.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.